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Previous references.

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File No. 47-8

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Later references.

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RAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10-12

Part B for May 1920

SUBJECT.

Reservation of certain areas minerals & mineral areas & disposal of applications received in respect of the same.

G25214 & 4-5-20.

To the compiler, Cuttack Gazette

Notifies the areas & minerals reserved & disposal of applications received in respect of the same.

WD 2283—GPB—20,000—14-6-20

(For Disposal at a Meeting)

No. C. 464

.....19..20.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Council Matter.

SUBJECT.

(Clause xii of the Schedule.)

Reservation of certain ores and minerals within specified areas.

CIRCULATED TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

By Order,

C S Balasubramaniyar

24th February 19.20.. *Chief Secretary to Government.*

Extraordinary Member of Council.

92 / 25/2/20 **First Member of Council.** 26.2

Second Member of Council. Seen.

4455 / 26-2-20 **Third Member of Council.** 1/3

(For Disposal at a Meeting)

No. C. 512.

6. 1. 1919.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

COUNCIL MATTER.

SUBJECT.

(Clause xii of the Schedule)

Question of the grant of prospecting licenses for magnesite.

CIRCULATED TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

By Order,

C S Balasundaramayar

6th January 1919.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Extraordinary Member of Council.

First Member of Council. seen

Second Member of Council. seen

Temporary Member of Council. seen

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Geol)

NOTES.

File No. 47-18

FILE HEADING.

Disposal of applications for licenses & leases for minerals
(Mineral licenses applied for by mr. T. Murugesam Pillay, mysore)
required for industrial purposes in the State

From

The offg Dir: Dept of Geology

No. 1264 Dated 12-11-1918 Received 15-11-1918

Diary No. 726	Enclos. 4	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Requests sanction for the grant of a prospecting license for magnesite and mica over a block of one square mile of land in mysore Taluk, to mr T. Murugesam Pillay, Contractor, Thegeguda mysore, subject to certain conditions.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Submitted with a Draft-

25/11/18 2 A copy of the statement of cases of Magnesite license appl^ns & the decision in each case may be put up Mr 26/.

7 Nov 18 3 Submitted with a statement as directed

8-11-18

NOTES—First Sheet.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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4 The Director of I & C and the Secy Ex Conf. have in several cases expressed themselves unfavourably to the grant of any licenses for magnesite.

5 This application may therefore be rejected. If however their opinion on this particular case is desired it will be called for.

Forwarded.

Mw
12/12/18

2269-2854
12.12.18

Second member)

6 I find that an exception has been made only in the case of Mr. M. Varsha Manager of Keyes. And if I recollect aright it was a special concession shown to him in consideration of the good work done in the cause of industrial & economic development. If so, it is better to reject the present application.

Rees
13.12.18

7 Maybe Subd & Dewan.

Chief Sec) Mw 14/12 & May be dealt with by Circulation.

Dewan

3495
27.12.18

9 Yes. I agree with all the proposals contained in the 8th para. I would like

CSM
27/12/18
Mw
28/12

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It can retain hold of the Income that found - but (in unusual) Whether this the people him precisely. Then we Can do Anuches?

10 May be discussed at the meeting of the Council

as circulated

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WD A 1789—GPB—60,000—20-3-19—S.

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Extract from the Proceedings of the 475th *Meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja, held at Bangalore on the* 9th January *19* 19

6. Subject.-Clause xii of the Schedule.

Question of the grant of prospecting licenses for magnesite.

Opinion of the Council.

The Council consider that, subject to the reservation of certain minerals or certain areas which may be notified for public information in the Mysore Gazette from time to time, prospecting licenses may be freely given to Mysoreans, by birth or domicile and in exceptional cases (x) to others preferably to those who have already worked in the State for not less than five years. When licenses are given a clause should be inserted that Government should have the first refusal of the mineral.

(x) Such cases should be dealt with in Council.

Sd. A.R.Banerji,
Officiating Dewan.

"EXTRACT'

C Balasubramanyam

Chief Secretary to Government.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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Serial No.

1 To the Assistant Secretary, Branch IV (Miner Dept.) for kindly submitting the file to the Second Member of Council with a draft Final Note.

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14/1/19

13 Branch. Today please me
13/1

14 Draft D.S. N. is sent.
15/1.

15 Please make a clean copy as revised & submit today
me
15/1/19.

16 D.F.N. submitted for approval
me
15/1/19.

Second member).

3045-D.
16-1-19

17 D.F.N. approved
Rees
18.1.19

D. SN submitted
Hon'ble

18 D.F.N. submitted.

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22.1.19.

Dewan 19/1/19

C8X
21/1/19
me
21.1.19.

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Final Note by the ~~Extra~~ Second Member of Council.

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Subject:— 20

Grant of a prospecting license for magnesite.

In connection with the application of Mr. T. Murugesam Pillay of Mysore City for the grant of a prospecting license over a block in the Mysore Taluk for magnesite, a mineral which is required for the proposed paper industry in the State, the question as to how far it would be necessary to restrict, or prohibit, the issue of prospecting licenses for this, and other minerals, required in the State for industrial purposes was considered in Council.

2. The decision arrived at was, that instead of refusing applications in respect of such minerals, certain minerals, or certain areas containing such minerals, might be reserved and notified in the Gazette, from time to time, and that prospecting licenses, subject only to such reservations and the condition that the Government should have the first refusal of the mineral collected, freely granted to Mysoreans, by birth or domicile, and, in exceptional cases, with the approval of the Council, to others, preferably those who have already worked in the State for not less than five years.

3. This decision may be approved.

P. Raghavendra Rao
18.1.19

18th January 1919.

MEMBER OF ~~COUNCIL~~.

G. R. S. IV—6]

21 *Submitted to His Highness.*

I submit herewith a Final Note by the Second *Member of Council on the subject of* the grant of a prospecting license for magnesite, ...

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for His Highness' gracious approval.

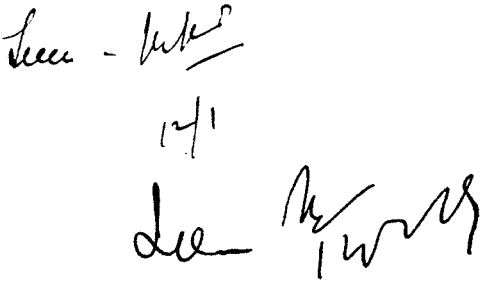
mhR

Dewan.

21.1.19

FOR PERUSAL OF

HIS HIGHNESS'S ORDERS



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STATEMENT OF CASES SUBMITTED FOR THE ORDERS OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA DURING THE TOUR OUTSIDE THE STATE IN.....January.....191 9.

Serial No.	Subject	Recommendation of Council, or Member of Government in charge, as the case may be	Dewan's recommendation	Orders of His Highness	Orders regarding submission of files (*vide* foot-note)
8835 25-1-19	Grant of prospecting -- license for magnesite.	The decision arrived at the meeting of Council may be approved.	May be approved. WD 25.1.19	837 approved by his highness Released Private Secretary Calcutta 3.2.19. Chief Secy 4496-285 13-2-19 With the Ch. Secy kindly have a dompt order on these hmis put up for Govt approval? Asstt Secy Early Rec'd 14.2.19	c 11.2

NOTE.—The letter a, b or c may kindly be inserted by the Private Secretary to His Highness in the last column to indicate whether—

File may be submitted at once ... ... a
File may be submitted after His Highness' return ... ... b
File may not be submitted at all c

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General and Revenue Secretariat. | Geol File No. 47 of 1918-19.

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26
Submitted with 2 drafts
Asst. Secy
15-2-19.

Dfts. may be appd
27 Secy
17/2

4618-42
18.2.19

Second member)

Drafts approved
28 Secy
Reel
19.2.19 17/2/19

Issue dfts today.
29 Secy
19/2

2 To

The Director Geol: Survey.
" " Mines.
" Ry: & Co: Corfield:

G. 17920-22 dt 19.2.19

Directs that in preference to refusal of applications for mineral rights reservation of land minerals by notification in the Gazette & by issuing prospecting licenses subject to such reservation & conditions to Syndicate & direct [illegible] & requests that [illegible] in consultation with [illegible] Director

maybe forwarded as regards the minerals or areas that maybe reserved.

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G.R.S. III—3]

ROUTINE NOTES.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

Note

In the issue of the Madras mail of the 20th inst there is an one column letter from a correspondent re Prospecting Licences for Minerals in Mysore, and the policy pursued in the past & at present with respect to them. There is also a small paragraph dealing with the same in the Editorial notes. The recent decision of Govt is however not yet sufficiently public & it is a point for consideration whether an official Press Communique may not issue in the matter. If approved, a draft will be put up

Paul
22.2.19

The Dewan,
With Compliments.

4 Has this been
submitted
to H H

5 Yes
Noted with thanks
CRS
26/2

6 Mr Hoey will
Please bring up
with the file
CRS
24/VIII

Yes. Thanks
I think after the
Visit proposals are
launched - an announce-
ment regarding may be made
Chaffey 4/
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N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied or slips pasted on this form.

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P. 30 for perusal
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26/2/21

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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8
Is there anything in the re-organisation proposals now pending consideration which has reference to the policy to be pursued in the matter of P.L.W. etc?

Rec'd
28.2.19

Ch. Secy
with compts

Read from Ch Secy
4 pm 1/3/19

Branch Please put up this file. Rec'd 4/3. W. P. M.

Aff one placing para 19 of the SO of 19.2.19 on the Press Table subd for appl as instructed on 17.3.19

Rec'd
24.3.19.

Second Member)

5649-214
24-8-19

Secy Dept (O.M.) approved

Rec'd
26.3.19

Secy) Secy
Where is this sheet now? Rec'd 27/3/19

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Dept Please place a copy of para 1 of flag with file

Rec'd 28/3/19

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G.R.S. III—3]

Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

Submitted. 16 A copy of paragraph 1 of G.O. of 19-2-19 the portion proposed to be placed on the Part I file is placed in the file as desired.

AHS 29-3-19

29.3.19.

17 Dewan) 18 May 1920

There has been unusual delay about this

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19 June

31-7-19.

Issued. No. 9.22243 dt 4/19.

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maybe/ forwarded/ as regards the minerals or areas that/may be/ reserved.

4 From the Director of Industries & Commerce.

No 9213/798 d 5-4-19

It is desirable the States for reasons given that each case of alienation of mineral deposits maybe decided by a committee compated of all the departments whose interests are involved.

30 No reply has yet been received from the Director of Mines & Geology. A draft reminder is submitted.

AHS. 12-4-19.

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CHIEF SECRETARIAT. IV MINOR Depts. 17 APR 1919

6 From the Director, Dept of Mines & Geology

No 3344 d 8-5-19 with reference to 4

Submits a draft notification in regard to the question of reserving certain minerals & areas containing such minerals until further notice.

Submitted for orders.

AHS 13-5-19.

32 The Director proposes to reserve Gold, Iron ore, Limestone, Dolomite, and Corundum all over the State, and Manganese ore, Chrome ore, Asbestos, Kaolin

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and China Clay in particular areas. The reservation of Manganese round Ayanur is intended to be for the benefit of the Workington Company. (Vide pre subs on 23-5-19 The file re- the reservation ordered in Dec 1906 of this same area is put up for reference) Excluding the areas proposed to be reserved the Kyasanangadu area available for the private prospector is mainly that between Shikarpur & Kumsi, Shimoga & Thirthahalli, and the manganese belt running north-west to South East between Hakkal and Gubbi. The Bendiyur area is not proposed to be reserved perhaps because the ore is low-grade. The Chrome area proposed to be reserved is the ~~portion~~ portion of the two large Chrome areas — ~~the Bendiyur and Kadakola~~ between Arasikere and Shravanbelagola, and between Mysore and Nanjangud. Magnesite occurs mainly between Mysore Nanjangud & a little near Holenarsipur. Much of the former area is proposed to be reserved. The proposal to reserve asbestos in Mysore Hassan Dist is on account of the preferential rights conceded to Mr Varadamanaiya. The reservation re- to China clay & Kaolin is in accordance with orders previous

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issued on the subject. The reservation of limestone ~~the~~ ~~and~~ all over the State is also in accordance with orders previously passed.

33 The reservation of Iron ore, dolomite and limestone all over the State and of Manganese ~~and~~ Chrome and Asbestos ~~and~~ ~~and~~ over particular areas now suggested may be ordered. The reservation of Kaolin or China Clay may remain as ordered previously. In regard to the other reservations proposed the following remarks are submitted for consideration

Govt 20-17
Rubber mills & oil
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mustard oil

34 Gold all over the State is proposed to be reserved. This was suggested ~~two~~ a year and a half ago in connection with the idea of forming a Gold Syndicate. The question has been pending long and many applications have been rejected in accordance with the tentative decision arrived at a year & half ago. ~~Some of the Companies~~ ~~Individuals~~ ~~have been informed that they may apply for leases in July next.~~ ~~This~~ Parting shares in a Syndicate like the one proposed is not a matter to be decided upon in a hurry, but keeping the question pending probably long results in the loss of revenue. The Director may be requested to have the question of the Syndicate discussed in the

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Committee on Mineral Policy and submit their views before the 2nd of June. And Govt can then consider whether it is necessary to reserve gold areas over the State; If on the report of the Committee Govt should come to the conclusion that no syndicate is likely to be formed in the near future reservation need not be ordered. The question of reserving gold areas may therefore properly be held over till the end of June 19.

35 The Director proposes the reservation of Corundum all over the State. The object of this is not clear. Govt. in their order No. 15370 dt. 24-1-19 directed that pending decision on the policy to be adopted the revision of rules for Corundum licenses need not be issued. Corundum apparently is not needed for any particular industry. Dir. does not propose its reservation. The rules as proposed to be revised deal with areas that may be given under licenses & leases for Corundum & other minerals. It is therefore unnecessary at this stage to reserve Corundum. This is for owen.

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Gro. 57-18-5 Circular

36 For similar reasons unnecessary to reserve magnesite. The Director does not propose the reservation. It will be sufficient if in the case of this mineral & the Corund

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a stipulation is made in every license issued that Govt should have the first refusal of the ore collected or should have the right of pre-emption.

3) The question of reservation of Minerals is a subject which may well be considered by the Committee as Mineral policy and a report is due from them on this and other allied matters – the Gold Syndicate, for example. These proposals made by the Director may perhaps be discussed in the Committee. The general reply given by the Secy, Economic Conference, would then be made clear to the Director Mtg – by that Officer; so also the reply of the Director by him. The views of the Committee arrived at as it will be after a personal discussion of the proposals between the Officers in the interest of whose depts they are made would be of considerable help to Govt in passing orders. If this view is acceptable, the Dir. Mtg. may be asked to place these proposals before the Committee and submit their views to Govt at a very early date.

For orders

Chief Secy)

Dno 27/5

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38 The Director's proposal may be approved. It should however be made clear that the reservation of asbestos & manganese is subject to the claims of M/s Varadhamanah & the Working Companies respectively as under existing orders.

39 The subject may perhaps be considered at a meeting of the committee referred to by the Hon'ble Member before final orders are issued.

2nd Member

7570-527. 31.5.19.

31/5/19

31/5.

40 I am inclined to think that the proposals now made by the Director & Mg are best considered first by the Committee & next by the Govt. The air with them have been cleared to a great extent & the action taken also calculated to cause the least disturbance

31.5.19.

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42 Draft submitted with a draft thus. 4-6-19.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.	File No.	of 191

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8	To the Director Deptt: of Ellenes & Prot. C. 27399 of 6.6.1919. States with reference to 6 that the proposals may be placed before the Committee & their resolution views (submitted) to Govt ? ?

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General and Revenue Secretariat. | Geol File No. 47 of 1918-19

Serial No. 10

From the Director, Dept. of Mines & Geology.
No 773 dt 11-9-19.

States that the proposals regarding the reservation of certain minerals & mineral areas were placed before the Mineral Exploitation Committee, and have been approved by them & requests that the draft notifications submitted with his letter of 8-5-19 may be approved & issued.

Submitted

Attd. hy
15-9-19

44
Submitted with a draft Govt order

45
Dr. Dr Smeeth on some file raised the question of reserving limestone with some limitations. Please put up that file or state in what stage it is.

17/12

46 The proposals re reservation made by Dr Smeeth and passed by the Committee may be approved with the exception of the proposal to reserve limestone all over the State. About this mineral Dr Smeeth has raised certain points in another connection

The connected papers on this subject have been put up for reference with the file relating to the revision of Rule 57-C. These papers are now before the Committee [illegible] on the return of [illegible]

Yes please hy
19.

Resubmitted with connected papers
Attd
22-9-19

Received from Govt Advocate on 11-12-19

Separated from the Revision of Rule file - Wdar
15/12

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which are separately under consideration

Dec 4/1

(Ch Secy) Draft may be approved

1st member

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27-1-20.

Draft approved

Rees
28.1.20

49 May this be treated as scheduled matter?

(Chief Secy.) DCS 27/2/20.

50 May perhaps be considered in Council

Dewan

51 49
Rees
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6. Subject. - Clause xii of the schedule.

Reservation of certain ores and minerals within specified areas.

Opinion of the Council.

The draft order, as revised in Council, may be approved.

(Signed) M. Kantaraj Urs,
Dewan of Mysore.

"EXTRACT

Chief Secretary to Government.

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Serial No.

53 To the Asst Secretary, Branch IV (Irrigation Deptt)

for kindly submitting the file to the First Member of Council with a draft Final Note.

cdg
13/3

Mr. Allen

-mitted with a D.F.N.

AUS 16-3-20. Please put up a clean copy as revised.

dcg 17/3/20.

Submitted with a clean copy.

AUS 18-3-20

For approval

dcg 18/3/20.

(1st Member)

96 18/3/20

cdg as revised

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Dewan.

cdg 20/3/20

H H No 987

54 Approved by H.H. vide copy of Dewan's note of 16/4/20

55 Issue d copy

cdg 24/4/20

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Final Note by the First Member of Council.

Subject:—

RESERVATION OF CERTAIN ORES AND MINERALS WITHIN SPECIFIED AREAS.

In connection with a certain application received in November 1918 for the grant of a prospecting license for magnesite in the Mysore Taluk, the question as to how far it would be desirable to restrict or prohibit the issue of prospecting licenses for magnesite and other minerals required for industrial purposes in the State was considered at a meeting of the Council held on 9th January 1919 and the marginally noted ° resolution of the Council was approved by His Highness on 3rd February 1919.

° *The Council consider that, subject to the reservation of certain minerals or certain areas which may be notified for public information in the Mysore Gazette from time to time, prospecting licenses may be freely given to Mysoreans, by birth or domicile and in exceptional cases to others preferably to those who have already worked in the State for not less than five years, such cases being dealt with in Council. When licenses are given, a clause should be inserted that Government should have the first refusal of the mineral.*

2. The Director of Mines and Geology was thereupon requested on 19th February 1919 to submit a report in consultation with the Director of Industries and Commerce and the Secretary, Economic Conference, as to the minerals or the areas containing minerals which may be required for industrial purposes in the State and which it may be desirable to reserve for such purposes.

3. The Director accordingly submitted his proposals in the matter with his letter No. 3344 dated 8th May 1919 after consulting the Director of Industries and Commerce and the Secretary to the Economic Conference. These proposals were, under the instructions from Government, placed by him before the Committee appointed to consider the question of the mineral exploitation in the State and

were duly approved by them.

4. The subject was considered by the Council at their meeting held on 11th and 12th March 1920 and it was resolved that the draft order as revised in Council might be approved.

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5. The Council after discussion considered that the effect of a general order of reservation without any qualifying provision - would be to stop all mining enterprise in the State in respect of practically all valuable minerals and that such a result should be avoided in view of the declaration made by Government in their previous order referred to in para / of this note. If therefore no applications are to be entertained and Government themselves also do not move, there will be a general stagnation all round. It is therefore considered necessary to add a proviso that Government will grant at their discretion licenses and leases to approved applicants to work minerals with a view to develop local industries.

6. The draft order as approved in Council may be graciously approved.

ref for approval

BANGALORE

19th March 1920.

MEMBER OF COUNCIL

19.3.20

57 *Submitted to His Highness.*

I submit herewith a Final Note by the...First.... ..

Member of Council on the subject of...Reservation..of.

certain..ores..and...minerals...within ..specified...areas,....

....

for His Highness' gracious approval.

24th March 1920

Dewan.

CRB

STATEMENT OF CASES SUBMITTED FOR THE ORDERS OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA DURING THE TOUR OUTSIDE THE STATE IN March 1920.

Serial No.	Subject	Recommendation of Council, or ~~Member of Government in charge, as the case may be~~	Dewan's recommendation	Orders of His Highness	Orders regarding submission of files (*vide* foot-note)
987	Reservation of certain ores and minerals within specified areas.	Draft order as revised in Council might be approved.	The recommendation of the Council may be graciously approved.		C JM 2 9.4.20

Sd Mackworth 18.4.20
Cl. Secy

NOTE.—The letter a, b or c may kindly be inserted by the Private Secretary to His Highness in the last column to indicate whether—

File may be submitted at once ... ... a
File may be submitted after His Highness' return ... ... b
File may not be submitted at all c

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REPLY.

(To be written on this margin.)

Office of the Dewan of Mysore.

NOTE.

Dated 16th April 1920.

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59 [illegible] have been received [illegible] regular to the office that the [illegible] need also have been approved by the [illegible].

60 The file was then submitted, as ordered by the Dewan, for perusal of the Chief Secretary to the Government in regard to the [illegible].

61 [illegible] notes, etc., will [illegible] office of the Dewan will be [illegible] to the [illegible].

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[illegible].

[illegible] with [illegible].

62 ✓ [illegible], with enclosures, to the [illegible] Secretary to Government.

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11	To the Director Dept. of Mines & Geol " " " Geol " " " I & C " Secy. Mysore Eco: Conf ce. " Rev. Comm " Chief Inspector of Mines G.24557 of 29.4.20 Directs that certain ores and minerals shall be reserved by Govt 69 The draft Notification is submitted for approval AHS 1-5-20. 64 Issue as revised so as to be in conformity with the Order already issued.
12	To the Compiler Mysore Gazette G.25214 of 4.5.20. Notifies the area over which certain minerals are reserved by Govt

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BANGALORE, 12th November 1918.

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DIARY NO. 7676

FROM

B. JAYARAM, Esq., F.G.S.,
Offg. Director, Department of Geology,
Mysore State.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esquire. B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

SIR,

I have the Honour to forward herewith for the information and orders of Government a copy of an application, dated the 3rd October 1918, from Mr.T. Murugesam Pillay, Contractor, Ittigegude, Mysore, for a prospecting license for Magnesite & Mica over a block of one square mile of land in the Mysore Taluk, shown in the enclosed copy of the sketch received with the application. The block applied for is free and also in accordance with the rules, but the special Forest Officer in Mysore considers that in view of the probability of our requiring magnesite in future for the pulp and paper industry in the State, it would be necessary to prohibit or restrict the grant of leases or licenses for this mineral to private parties until our resources and requirements are fully investigated and determined. Copies of the Special Forest Officer's letter, dated the 23rd August 1918, and my reply thereto are enclosed herein for the information of Government. Instead of absolutely refusing the grant of licenses or leases for magnesite in future, it seems desirable that opportunities should be continued to be kept open to private men to explore and

prospect for magnesite as much as possible, but that in granting licenses or leases to them sufficient safeguard should be provided to secure magnesite for our future requirements by stipulating the condition in each case ~~and~~ that the Government should be given the first refusal of all the magnesite obtained under the license or lease, and that until the Government are in a position to buy up the raw material it should only be made use of for local industries and not exported.

2. In the present case, I beg to recommend that a prospecting license for mica and magnesite may be granted to the applicant with the condition mentioned above in respect of magnesite.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

B. Jayaram.

Offg. Director,

Department of Geology.

C.N.

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FORM No. 2.

APPLICATION FOR A PROSPECTING LICENSE.

Dated the third *day of* October *19* 18

To

THE DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND
GEOLOGY, BANGALORE.

SIR,

I have the honor to request that a prospecting license under the rules contained in Notification No. G. 3119—Geol. 40-16-2, dated 5th September 1916, may be granted to T. Muruleswam Pillay Contractor Mysore over the area containing one square mile marked on the enclosed extract from the Topographical Survey Map of Mysore.

The area over which prospecting rights are applied for comprises land belonging to the villages, the names of which with the taluk and district to which each belongs, are set out in Schedule A hereto.

The minerals in respect of which prospecting rights are applied for are stated in Schedule B hereto.

I enclose (receipt from the Mysore Sub-Treasury) (crossed cheque on the Bangalore Branch of the Bank of Madras payable to the order of the Director, Department of Mines and Geology) for Rs. 10 being the fee payable in respect of this application at the rate of Rs. 10 per square mile or portion of a square mile of the area applied for.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Sd/ T. Muruleswam Pillay

Name and address of applicant
(Write legibly) T. Muruleswam Pillay
Contractor, Nilebud Mysore

SCHEDULE A.

Village.*	Taluk.	District.
Madavalee	Mysore	Mysore

* State after the name of village, if whole or part only.

SCHEDULE B.

Minerals to be prospected for.

Manganese

Copy
K. Varadaraja
for Director,
Dept. of Geology

Letter No.171, dated 23rd August 1918, from the Special Forest Officer in Mysore, to the Director of Geology in Mysore.

I have the honour to inform you that Magnesite plays an important part in the treatment of bamboos for paper-stock, according to a recent process discovered in Great Britain. We shall require a large quantity of it in connection with the bamboo-pulp and paper mill proposed to be established at Benkipur. I request you will be so good as to let me have detailed information on the localities of its occurrence in the State, approximate quantities and the forms in which magnesium salts or ores occur in Nature in each locality. I shall thank you for treating this request as an urgent one.

In view of our large needs of this mineral for the pulp and paper industry in the near future within the State, I consider it necessary to prohibit or restrict the alienation of it by lease or otherwise to private exploiters until our resources and requirements are fully investigated and determined.

Copy.

B. Jagannam.
Offg. Director,
Department of Geology.

C.N.

Jun 12.4.18

Letter No.674, dated 7th September 1918, from the Offg. Director, Department of Geology, Bangalore, to the Special Forest Officer in Mysore, Bangalore.

In reply to your letter No.171, dated 23rd August 1918, requesting to be furnished with detailed information in regard to the localities of the occurrence of Magnesite in the State of Mysore, etc., I have the honour to state as follows:-

In Mysore the only Magnesium Ore is the normal carbonate of magnesia (magnesite) and occurs only in massive form.

The principal deposits occur in the Mysore District between Mysore and Nanjangud, of which the most important are of Dod Kanya and Dodkattur, while other less important or poor deposits have been found near Shinduvalli, Talur, Solepur, Mavinhalli, Gurur and Kupya. In the Hassan District some poor deposits have been found to the east and south-east of Hole-Narsipur and in the Arkalgud Taluk.

The Tata Iron & Steel Co.,Ltd., have recently been granted mining leases for magnesite in respect of the Dod Kanya, Dodkattur and Solepur Blocks in the Mysore District. There are also seven prospecting licenses now current - 6 in the Mysore District and 1 in the Hassan District.

An estimate of the probable quantities of magnesite available in the State has been made by Mr.P. Sampat Iyengar, M.A., Offg. Senior Geologist, and is shown in the annexed table.

Further details about magnesite in Mysore may be found in the Mineral Bulletin No.7, pp 136-144 and in the Records, Vol. XV, Pt. II, pp. 152-163.

With regard to your suggestion that the alienation of the mineral by lease or otherwise to private parties may be prohibited or restricted until our [illegible] resources and requirements are fully investigated and determined, I have to inform you that the more important deposits have already been taken up by private

DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY.

Estimate of the probable quantities of Magnesite available in Mysore.

(calculated for an average depth of 10 yards.)

District.	Taluk.	Village.	Quantity Tons.	Remarks.
sore.	Mysore	Solepur	289,275	
		Byathalli (from rise 1 mile south of village)	7,492	
		Dodkanya.	333,000	
		Shinduvalli (from south of Mine area.)	4,500	
		Dodkattur.	21,500	
		Hulikerehundi (from rise 1 mile north of village.)	400.	
		Talur.	42,000	
		Waddarpalya.	8,000	
		Mavinhalli	6,000	
		Masinbayinhalli.	600	
Hassan.	Hole-Narsipur.	Hiritalal and Idegondanahalli.	00	
		Total	713,267	or 714,000 in round number

Copy.

B. Jayaram.
Offg. Director,
Department of Geology.
12.11.15

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Proceedings of the Government of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read:-

Letter No.1264 dated 12-11-18 from the Offg.Director, Dept. of Geology, forwarding an application from Mr.T.Murugesam Pillay, for the grant of a prospecting license for magnesite and mica over a block of one sq.mile of land, in the Mysore Taluk, and certain correspondence between himself and the Special Forest Officer in Mysore, on the subject of prohibiting or restricting the alienation of magnesite areas, in the State by lease or otherwise, for private exploitation in view of the need of the paper-pulp industry in the State, for this mineral, and recommending that the said similar applications may be granted, but that on account of the requirements of the paper industry suggested by the Special Forest Officer, ~~licenses or leases for magnesite may be granted on~~ they may be made subject to the conditions that Govt. should be given the first refusal of the mineral obtained, and that the mineral should not be exported in a raw condition to places outside the State.

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Order No. G/17920-22/Gol'47-18-2

Dated Bangalore, 19th Feb.1919.

Govt. are pleased to direct that in preference to refusing applications in respect of minerals required for industrial purposes in the State, certain minerals or certain areas containing such minerals so required might be reserved and notified in the Gazette from time to time; and that prospecting licenses, such

subject ~~only~~ to such reservations and the condition that Govt. should have the first refusal of the mineral collected, might be freely granted to applicants who are - Mysoreans, by birth or domicde, and in - exceptional cases, to others also, preferably those who have already worked in the State for not less than five years.

2, The Director, Department of Mines and Geology, is requested to report, in consultation with the Director of Industries and Commerce, and the Secretary, Economic Conference, for orders of Government, the minerals or particular areas, containing the minerals, which it may be desirable to reserve as above -

3. Separate orders will issue regarding the application of Mr.Murugesam Pillay

Recd 19.2.19

To

Chief Secretary to Govt.

The Director, Department of Mines and Geology.

The Director of Industries and Commerce

The Secretary, Economic Conference.

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File No.

Serial No.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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No. 9. 22243.

Date of issue 2nd April 1919

To

Signed by Dr. M. V. Jayakar

Official Memorandum

The following extract of G.O. no G17920-22 Geol 47-92 dated 19/3/19 regarding ~~the~~ policy ~~that~~ ~~will be adopted~~ in the disposal of applications for ~~mineral concessions~~ licenses and leases for minerals required for industrial purposes within this state is placed on the Secretariat Table for general information. By order

Asst Secy

Extract Para 1 of the G.O.

24.3.19.

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Extract paragraph 1 of G.O. no 17920-22

Genl 47-08-2 dt 19-2-19

Govt are pleased to direct that in preference to refusing applications in respect of minerals required for industrial purposes in the State, certain minerals or certain areas containing such minerals so required might be reserved and notified in the Gazette from time to time; and that prospecting licenses subject to such reservations and the condition that Govt should have the first refusal of the minerals collected might be freely granted to applicants who are Mysoreans by birth or domicile and in exceptional cases to others also preferably those who have already worked in the State for not less than five years.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "INDUSTRIES."

In reply please refer to
No. 9213/798

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Geol 47-18-4

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OFFICE OF THE
DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE, IN MYSORE.

Bangalore, 5th April *191*9.

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FROM

V. RANGASAWMY IYENGAR, ESQ., B.C.E.,
Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore,
Bangalore (India.)

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
B a n g a l o r e.

SIR

With reference to Government Order No.17920-22 - Geol. 47-18-2 dated the 19th February 1919, I have the honor to state that the reservation of particular mineral areas presupposes the knowledge of such areas and their commercial value. As no mineral survey of an exhaustive nature is known to have been undertaken and as no information on this point is available, it is evident that reservation of such areas is a very difficul problem. The reservation of minerals required by the Departments would practically exclude private enterprise to a very great extent, for there are very few minerals of commercial value --- which would not be required at one time or other for industries started or contemplated by Government or for other purposes.

Under these circumstances, the only workable solution --- appears to be not in the direction of tying up one's hands or unnecessarily hampering private enterprise but to decide on --- merits each case of alienation of mineral land as it arises by a Committee composed of all the Departments whose interests --

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are involved.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

V Rungan Esq

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Geol 47-8-6

No. 3344

Dated Bangalore, 8th May 1919.

From

Dr. W. F. Smeeth M.A.,D.Sc.,&c.,
Director,
Department of Mines & Geology.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esquire, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of His
Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to para 2 of Government Order No. G. 17920-22-Geol.47-18-2, dated 19th February 1919, I have the honour to state that I have consulted the Secretary, Economic Conference, and enclose a copy of his letter No.4565, dated 19th March 1919, which contains suggestions of a general character which will be provided for under our Revised Rules and by means of the reservations noted below. The Director of Industries and Commerce merely suggests that it would be enough if Kaolin is reserved and encloses a copy of his letter No. 17932 3213/798, dated 3rd April 1919, to the Chief Secretary which does not help us.

2. Pending further investigations as to the requirements of local industrees and the available supplies of material, I propose to reserve the following ores and minerals in the areas specified. The reservation means that until further notice Government will not prepared to entertain further applications for licenses or leases in respect of these specified minerals and areas:-

Reservation of Specified Mineral Areas.

Ore or Mineral.	Reserved area.
Gold Iron Ore Limestone Dolomite Corundum	The whole State.
Manganese Ore.	(1) Within a radius of 13 miles from the village of Aiyanur in the Shimoga Taluk of the Shimoga District. (2) Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Gangur in the Shimoga Taluk of the Shimoga District. (3) Within a radius of 4 miles from the village of Kondli in the Gubbi Taluk of the Tumkur District.
Chrome Ore.	(1) A strip of country 3 miles in width on the East side of a line from Arsikere to Chalya in the Channarayapatna Taluk of the Hassan District (Nuggihalli Schist Belt). (2) Within a radius of 6 miles from the village Kadkola in the Mysore Taluk, Mysore District.
Magnesite.	Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Kadkola in the Mysore Taluk of the Mysore District.
Asbestos.	The whole of the Mysore & Hassan Districts.
Kaolin & China Clay.	The whole of the Taluks of Bangalore & Hoskote in the Bangalore District.

The draft Notification enclosed herewith disposes of the case of Corundum as well as the monopoly granted to Mr.Vardhamaniah

over

over the Mysore and Hassan Districts.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Director,

C.N.

Dept.of Mines & Geology.

Letter No.4565, dated 19th March 1919, from the Secretary, Mysore Economic Conference, to the Director, Department of Mines & Geology.

With reference to correspondence ending with letter No.2687-8, dated the 14th March 1919, regarding particular minerals and areas to be reserved, I have the honour to state that I can only make some suggestions as to the general principles to be followed in such cases:

(a) It is proposed hereafter to make it a condition in all prospecting licenses and mining leases that Government will have the prior right to take the mineral if required by them for any purpose at a valuation. Such a condition is sufficient to enable Government to obtain the raw material required in connection with any industry that they may start.

(b) We have definitely committed ourselves to a scheme for the manufacture of iron as a State industry and as the success of this industry will depend upon the extent to which we are able to take advantage of all subsidiary industries, Minerals specially required for such purposes, if they have been already located and are capable of being used with profit, may be reserved.

(c) Similarly if there are any other minerals which there is reason to believe can be found in paying quantities and a scheme is under investigation they may be reserved till the investigations are completed but in such cases a reasonable period should be fixed after which it should be open to the public to take up further work.

(d) Similarly in the case of other minerals in connection with which the Department of Industries and Commerce or the Department of Mines and Geology is carrying on any investigations they may be reserved within the areas and for periods to be specified to enable the Departments concerned to carry on the investigations and start an industry through the Departmental private agency as may be suitable in each case.

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For Director,

Dept.of Mines & Geology.

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Date of issue 6-6-19

Signed by W. H. Nelson

Section Geol

File No. 47-18

Serial No. 8

No. 27399

To

The Director Dept of Mines & Geology

, Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter no 3344 dated 8-5-1919 regarding the reservation of certain mineral areas I am directed to request that the proposals may be kindly placed before the committee on mineral policy and submitted their views to Govt at a very early date.

I have etc

W. H. Nelson

Secretary to Govt.

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BANGALORE, 10th September 1919.

No. 773

FROM

DR. W. F. SMEETH, M.A., D.Sc., A.R.S.M., etc.,
Director, Department of Mines and Geology,
Mysore State.

To

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.G.27399/Geol.47-18-8, dated 6th June 1919, regarding the reservation of certain minerals and mineral areas, I have the honor to state that the proposals contained in my letter No.3344, dated 8th May 1919, were placed before the Mineral Exploitation Committee at their 3rd Meeting held on the 15th of July 1919 and have been duly approved by them.

The draft notification submitted with my aforesaid letter of the 8th May 1919 may kindly be approved and issued.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. F. Smeeth

Director,

Department of Mines and Geology.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 29/4/1920

Signed by Mr D. Clift. H2 in W

Read— Paragraph 2 of Govt order no G 17920 / Geol 47-18-2 dated 19th February 1919 requesting the Director, Dept of Mines & Geology to report in consultation with the Director of Industries and Commerce and the Secretary, Economic Conference for orders of Govt, the minerals or ~~particular~~ the areas containing minerals which may be required for industrial purposes in the State and which may be desirable to reserve.

2. Correspondence ending with this office no 773 dated 11-9-19 from the Director, Dept of Mines & Geology submitting proposals in the matter.

~~Order Thereon—No.~~

3. Paragraph 18 of Govt order no G 1921-2 / Geol 57-18-17 dt 27-2-1920 stating that separate orders will issue regarding the reservation of minerals and areas containing minerals which may be required for industrial purposes in the State.

P.T.O.

May this be

i Printed ?

ii treated as a standing order ? P U O

iii published in the Gazette, English Part ? H 10 in W bill.

iv translated ?

v placed at the disposal of the press ? Office.

vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ? dealt in H

Order no. G 24557-62/Geol 47-18-11

Dy 29.4.20.

After a careful consideration of the proposals, Govt are pleased to direct that, pending further investigation as to the requirements of local industries & the available supplies of materials, the following ores & minerals shall be reserved within the areas specified below & that

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Until further notice, no applications shall be entertained for the grant of leases & licenses in respect of minerals & minerals within the respective areas specified, ~~hereunder will be entertained~~. It will however be open to Govt to grant licenses, leases for reserved minerals within these areas at their discretion to approved applicants ~~to develop~~ with a view to develop local industries ~~to the limit~~

Ore or mineral	Reserved area
Gold Iron ore Lime-stone Dolomite Corundum	The whole State.
Manganese.	(1) Within a radius of 13 miles from the village of Hiriyur in the Hiriyur Taluk. (2) Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Gangur in the Hiriyur Taluk. (3) Within a radius of 4 miles from the village of Kondli in the Gubbi Taluk.
Chrome ore.	(1) A strip of country 3 miles in width on the East side of a line from Arsikere to Cholya in the Channarayapatna Taluk of the Hassan District (Nuggihalli Schist Belt) enclosure (2) Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Kadakola in the Mysore Taluk.
Magnesite	Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Kadakola in the Mysore Taluk
Asbestos	The whole of the Mysore & Hassan Districts.
Kaolin & China clay.	The whole of the Taluks of Bangalore & Hoskote in the Bangalore District.

Separate notifications will be issued in the Gazette published in the Gazette, re reservation of the minerals & mineral areas referred to above for the information of the public

Copied to above

Examined by

Reed. 25.1.20

For Chief Secretary to Govt

To The Director, Dept of Mines & Geology on Special duty.
The Director, Dept of Geology
The Director of Industries & Commerce
The Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore
The Secretary, Chamber of Commerce.
The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
Copy to the Education Secretariat.
Copy to the Revenue Secretariat.

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R e a d :-

Paragraph 2 of Government Order No.G.17920-22/Geol.47-18-2 dated the 19th February 1919 requesting the Director, Department of Mines & Geology to report in consultation with the Director of Industries and Commerce and the Secretary, Economic Conference for orders of Government, the minerals or the areas containing minerals which may be required for industrial purposes in the State and which it may be desirable to reserve.

2. Correspondence ending with letter No. 773 dated 11th September 1919 from the Director, Department of Mines and Geology submitting proposals in the matter.

3. Paragraph 18 of Government Order No.G.19921-2/Geol.57-18-17 dated 27th February 1920, stating that separate orders will issue regarding the reservation of minerals and areas containing minerals which may be required for industrial purposes in the State.

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O r d e r No. G 24557-62/Geol 47-18-11

Dated Bangalore, the 29th April 1920.

After a careful consideration of the proposals, Government are pleased to direct that, pending further investigation as to the requirements of local industries and the available supplies of material, the following ores and minerals shall be reserved within the areas specified below and that until further notice, no applications shall be entertained for the grant of leases and licenses in respect of these ores and minerals within the respective areas specified. It will however be open to Government to grant licenses and leases for minerals within these reserved areas at their discretion to approved applicants with a view to develop local industries.-

Ore or mineral.	Reserved area.
Gold Iron Ore. Limestone. Dolomite. Corundum.	The whole State.
Manganese.	(1) Within a radius of 13 miles from the village of Aiyanur in the Shimoga Taluk.

Ore(s) or mineral(s).	Reserved area.
Manganese.	(2) Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Gangur in the Shimoga Taluk. (3) Within a radius of 4 miles from the village of Kondli in the Gubbi Taluk.
Chrome ore.	(1) A strip of country 3 miles in width on the East side of a line from Arsikere to Chalya in the Channarayapatna Taluk of the Hassan District. (Nuggihalli Schist Belt). (2) Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Kadkola in the Mysore Taluk.
Magnesite.	Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Kadakola in the Mysore Taluk.
Asbestos.	The whole of the Mysore and Hassan Districts.
Kaolin and China clay.	The whole of the taluks of Bangalore, Hoskote, in the Bangalore District.

Separate notification will be published in the Gazette re reservation of the minerals and the mineral areas referred to above for the information of the public.

D C Subbarayappa.

For Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Director, Department of Mines & Geology in Mysore.

The Director, Department of Geology in Mysore.

The Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore.

The Secretary, Mysore Economic Conference.

The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

The Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore
copy to the Education Secretariat
copy to the Revenue Secretariat

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Draft — 4.5.20

Notification.

Pending further investigation as to the requirements of local industries and the available supplies of material, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja ~~of Mysore~~ are pleased to direct that the following ores and minerals shall be reserved within the areas specified ~~in the following list~~. below and that,

Until further notice, ~~Government will not be prepared to~~ no applications shall be entertained ~~further applications~~ for the grant of leases and licenses in respect of these ores and minerals within the respective areas specified ~~hereunder~~.

It will however be open to Govt. to grant licenses and leases for minerals within these reserved areas at their discretion to approved applicants with a view to develop local industries

Ore or Mineral.	Reserved area.
Gold Iron Ore. Limestone. Dolomite Corundum	The whole State.
Manganese.	(1) Within a radius of 13 miles from the village of Aiyanur in the Shimoga Taluk of the Shimoga District. (2) Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Gangur in the Shimoga Taluk of the Shimoga District. (3) Within a radius of 4 miles from the village of Kondli in the Gubbi Taluk of the Tumkur District.
Chrome Ore.	(1) A strip of country 3 miles in width on the east side of a line from Arsikere to Chalya in the Chennarayapatna Taluk of the Hassan District (Nuggihalli Schist Belt). (2) Within a radius of 6 miles from the village of Kadkola in the Mysore Taluk, Mysore District.

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Asbestos.	The whole of the Mysore & Hassan Districts.
Kaolin & China Clay.	The whole of the Taluks of Bangalore & Hoskote in the Bangalore District.

By Order,

11/5/20 Chief Secretary to Government.

11/5/20

8.6.19

Magnesite

G 5818 / Geol 3-18-5
D 19-9-18.

Rejects the application received from Mr. M. Lakshmi narayanayya for a P.L. for magnesite over a block of one sq mile in Mysore Taluk

[The Secretary, Economic Conference & the Director of Industries & Commerce are of opinion that it is not desirable to grant licences for magnesite as the mineral is essential to national purposes]

G 5816 / Geol 2-18-8
D 6-9-18

Sanctions the grant of a prospecting licence to Mr. M.L. Vardhamanaiya for magnesite & chromite over a block of 1 1/5 sq mile in Mysore Taluk on condition that no ore should be exported to places outside the State & that Govt should be given first refusal of the ore obtai

G 8907 / Geol 37-18-2
D 16-4-18.

Rejects the application received from Mr. Mohamad Nazimuddin Khan for a prospecting licence for magnesite & chromite over a block of one sq mile in Mysore Taluk.